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**Preliminary Amendment**Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In advance of prosecution, please amend the above-captioned application as follows:

**In the Specification**

On the first page of the specification, after the title and before the section entitled, "Field of the invention," please add the following text:

**-- Cross Reference to Related Applications**

The present application represents U.S. national stage of international application PCT/SE00/01505 with an international filing date of July 20, 2000.

The international application claims priority to Swedish application 9902763-3, which was filed on July 21, 1999. --

**In the Sequence Listing**

✓ On page 1 of the Sequence Listing, line 2, please remove "Astra Pharma Inc." as an applicant.